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**STATE OF ARIZONA
POLITICAL COMMITTEE
STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION**

- ☐ Initial Registration
☒ Amended Statement
☐ Out of State Committee
☒ Standing Political Committee

Titles 16 & 19, Arizona Revised Statutes
Definitions, statutory references and important information on page 2.

COMMITTEE ID NUMBER

200602799

NAME OF POLITICAL COMMITTEE (For ballot measure committee, name shall include official petition serial number)		DATE	
ARIZONAS FIRE FIGHTERS		03/04/2009	
TYPE OF COMMITTEE		BALLOT MEASURE <input type="checkbox"/> SUPPORT <input type="checkbox"/> OPPOSE	
INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES (STANDING)			
COMMITTEE ADDRESS		CITY	STATE ZIP
61 E COLUMBUS AVE		PHOENIX	AZ 85012
COMMITTEE MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above)		CITY	STATE ZIP
61 E COLUMBUS AVE		PHOENIX	AZ 85012
COMMITTEE TELEPHONE #	COMMITTEE FAX #	COMMITTEE EMAIL ADDRESS	
(602) 265-7332	(602) 277-0003	BWHITAKER@PHXFIREFIGHTERS.ORG	
NAME OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION (if applicable)		TYPE OF ORGANIZATION	
ADDRESS OF SPONSORING ORGANIZATION		RELATIONSHIP TO POLITICAL COMMITTEE	
EACH POLITICAL COMMITTEE SHALL HAVE A CHAIRMAN AND TREASURER. THE POSITION OF CHAIRMAN AND TREASURER OF A SINGLE POLITICAL COMMITTEE MAY NOT BE HELD BY THE SAME INDIVIDUAL, EXCEPT THAT A CANDIDATE MAY BE CHAIRMAN AND TREASURER OF HIS OR HER OWN CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE. A.R.S. § 16-902(A).			
NAME OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN		CHAIRMAN'S TELEPHONE #	CHAIRMAN'S FAX #
MICHAEL GIBSON		(602) 265-7332	602270003
CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS		CITY	STATE ZIP
61 E COLUMBUS AVE		PHOENIX	AZ 85012
CHAIRMAN'S OCCUPATION	CHAIRMAN'S EMPLOYER	CHAIRMAN'S EMAIL ADDRESS	
FIRE FIGHTER	CITY OF PHOENIX		
NAME OF COMMITTEE TREASURER		TREASURER'S TELEPHONE #	TREASURER'S FAX #
BILL WHITAKER		(602) 265-7332	(602) 277-0003
TREASURER'S ADDRESS		CITY	STATE ZIP
61 E COLUMBUS AVE		PHOENIX	AZ 85012
TREASURER'S OCCUPATION	TREASURER'S EMPLOYER	TREASURER'S EMAIL ADDRESS	
FIRE FIGHTER	CITY OF PHOENIX		
BEFORE A COMMITTEE ACCEPTS A CONTRIBUTION OR MAKES AN EXPENDITURE IT SHALL DESIGNATE AT LEAST ONE ACCOUNT AT A QUALIFIED FINANCIAL INSTITUTION. A.R.S. § 16-902(C). LIST THE NAMES OF ALL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS WITH WHICH THE COMMITTEE MAINTAINS ACCOUNTS OR SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES. (Do not list account numbers.)			
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CHASE			
FOR A CANDIDATE'S CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE OR AN EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE, PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION: (For Exploratory Committees party affiliation and office sought are optional.)			
NAME OF CANDIDATE OR DESIGNATING INDIVIDUAL ("DI")		ELECTION CYCLE	
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CANDIDATE OR DI'S TELEPHONE #	CANDIDATE OR DI'S FAX #	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE	CITY OF RESIDENCE
		PHOENIX	CITY OF PHOENIX
CANDIDATE OR DI'S ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
		AZ	85012
CANDIDATE OR DI'S EMAIL ADDRESS	PARTY AFFILIATION	OFFICE SOUGHT	

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YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT THE REQUIRED SIGNATURES BELOW:

BOX 1 All committees require the signature of both the chairman and treasurer. Standing Committees, see BOX 3 below.

CHAIRMAN'S AND TREASURER'S STATEMENT: We, the undersigned, have examined the information contained in this statement of organization and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete.	
Date: <u>3-4-09</u>	Chairman's signature: <u>[Signature]</u>
Date: <u>3-4-09</u>	Treasurer's signature: <u>[Signature]</u>

BOX 2 Complete and sign this additional box only if the committee is a candidate's campaign committee or exploratory committee.

DESIGNATING INDIVIDUAL OR CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT: I authorize the above-named political committee as my political committee to receive contributions and make expenditures on my behalf.	
Date: _____	D/I's or Candidate's signature: _____

BOX 3 Complete and notarize this box only if the committee has been in existence for more than one year and is filing for Standing Committee status.

STANDING POLITICAL COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT (if applicable) (A.R.S. §16-902.1): I/we hereby declare the status of this political committee as a standing political committee.	
Date: <u>3-4-09</u>	Chairman's signature: <u>[Signature]</u>
Date: <u>3-4-09</u>	Treasurer's signature: <u>[Signature]</u>
State of Arizona) County of <u>Maricopa</u>) ss.	State of Arizona) County of <u>Maricopa</u>) ss.
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this <u>4th day of March</u> <u>[Signature]</u> My Commission Expires: <u>1/20/2013</u> Notary Public	SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this <u>4th day of March</u> <u>[Signature]</u> My Commission Expires: <u>1/20/2013</u> Notary Public

DEFINITION OF POLITICAL COMMITTEE:

"Political committee" means an association or combination of persons that is organized, conducted or maintained for the purpose of influencing the result of an election or to determine whether an individual will become a candidate for election in this state or in any county, city, town, district or precinct in this state, that engages in political activity in support of or against a candidate for election or retention or in support of or opposition to an initiative, referendum or recall or any other measure or proposition and that applies for a serial number and circulates petitions and, in the case of a candidate for public office except those exempt pursuant to section 16-903, that receives contributions or makes expenditures in connection therewith, notwithstanding that the association or combination of persons may be a part of a larger association, combination of persons or sponsoring organization not primarily organized, conducted or combined for the purpose of influencing the result of any election in this state or in any county, city, town or precinct in this state.

NOTE FOR INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED IN POLITICAL ACTIVITIES:

An individual, acting alone, is not a political committee under Arizona law and need not file a statement of organization. If an individual person or persons join the effort (as defined above in A.R.S. § 16-901(19)) begun by an individual, the association of persons has become a "political committee" under Arizona law, and must file a statement of organization before accepting contributions, making expenditures, distributing literature or circulating petitions. A.R.S. § 16-902.01(A).

NOTE FOR THOSE INVOLVED IN INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM AND RECALL EFFORTS:

Before circulating initiative, referendum or recall petitions, a political committee must file its statement of organization with the appropriate filing office. Signatures obtained on petitions prior to the filing of the statement of organization are void and shall not be counted in determining the legal sufficiency of the petition. A.R.S. §§ 19-114(B) and 19-202(C). Even though an individual, acting alone, may begin the initiative, referendum or recall effort, as soon as other persons join the effort, the association of persons must register as a political committee. The statement of organization must be filed regardless of whether the committee intends to accept contributions or make expenditures.